DER SEMINAR DESCRIPTION-2003

STANDARDIZATION SEMINAR - This is the initial seminar offered to all DERs, Candidates, and anyone interested in DER functions. It covers *Background, History, and Organization of the FAA, FAA Regulations and Compliance Guidance, DER Authority and Responsibilities, Certification of Aircraft and Aircraft Products, and Continued Airworthiness.* This seminar lasts 1 ½ to 2 days. Attendance at this seminar is required within one year of appointment for all new DERs as of November 12, 1996. Seminar Locations:

Wichita KS, Jan 22-23, 2003 San Antonio TX, Mar 11-12, 2003 Savannah GA, Apr 8-9, 2003 Atlantic City NJ, May 28-29, 2003 Chicago IL, June 17-18, 2003 Wichita KS, July 16-17, 2003 Long Beach CA, July 23-24, 2003 Seattle WA, Nov 4-5, 2003

RECURRENT SEMINAR - The DER Recurrent Seminar varies from 1 to 3 days in length. The first portion is a presentation of general topics developed by the Recurrent Seminar training team or by certification personnel of the hosting ACO. The remainder of the seminar is used for workshops or breakout sessions discussing technical topics developed by the ACO. These topics are directed at the individual DER specialties (i.e. structure, systems and equipment, etc.) and engineers and managers working in DAS/DOA/SFAR 36 organizations.

Seminar Locations:

Atlanta GA, Feb 4-6 - All disciplines (Concurrent with SAE Mtg.)

Atlantic City NJ, Mar 25-26 - All disciplines

Fort Worth TX, May 6-7 - All disciplines (ASW "Annual Designee Conference")

Anchorage AK, May 15-16 – All disciplines

Long Beach CA, May 20-22 – General plus Breakout sessions for **Airframe** (Chart A) and **Powerplant** (Charts B, E, F, G)

Denver CO, June 3 – All disciplines

Chicago IL, Jun 18-19 - All disciplines

Long Beach CA, Sep 23-25 – General plus Breakout sessions for Flight Test (Charts G & H),

Mechanical Systems (Chart C1), Avionics/Electrical Systems (Chart C2) and Software.

Seattle WA, Nov 5-6 - All disciplines

NOTE: The above seminars will be offered in a three day combined format in Chicago (June) and Seattle (Oct) this year. When combined, the Standardization seminar will typically be the first day and the morning of the second day. The Recurrent seminar will typically begin in the afternoon of the second day and run through the end of the third day. Attendees may choose to attend either or both of the sessions.

Cost - There is no cost to attend any of the above.

Registration information is available at http://av-info.faa.gov/dst/training.htm